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: METHOD FOR COMPENSATING

DIFFERENT CLOCK SIGNALS BETWEEN

SWITCH AND PERIPHERAL DEVICE

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Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the application as follows:

## **IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claims 14 and 20, and add new claims 21 and 22 as follows:

14. (Amended) The method of claim 13, wherein the N-th queue link node QLN(N) further comprises a fifth field for recording a source port speed of the N-th packet.

20. (Amended) The method of claim 19, wherein the N-th link node QLN(N) further comprises a fifth field for recording a source port speed of the N-th packet.

--21. The method of claim 18, wherein the N-th link node QLN(N) further comprises a fifth field for recording a source port speed of the N-th packet.

22. The method of claim 12, wherein the N-th link node QLN(N) further comprises a fifth field for recording a source port speed of the N-th packet .--